Arizona Department of Corrections



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Arizona Sheriffs Association:

Attached please find a copy of the proposed new (2001) Guidelines for the distribution and expenditure of your Jail Enhancement Funds (JEF).

The major revisions include:

- 1. Item 6 of the new Guidelines for the first time, requires Counties to follow County Procurement and Travel Policies and Record Financial Activity on a County Accounting System.
- 2. Changed the formula for the yearly Census count to include "Jail/Detention Employee."
- 3. Item 9 will require the Fund Administrator to conduct an Annual Report outlining unique programs paid for with Jail Enhancement Funds.
- 4. For the first time, we have working definition includes a definition for "Enhancement" and "Supplanting."
- 5. We have developed a "Procedure For Clarifying Expenditures." This process now includes involving the Sheriffs Association when the Fund Administrator can not resolve a questionable expenditure.
- 6. We have formalized the "Annual Report," "Submittal Letter," and "Quarterly Report." Blank copies are included.

Other changes to the 1983 Guidelines are in **Bold** type.

Sincerely,

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